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AMENDMENT

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This paper is in reply to an Office Action dated May 19, 2006. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application in view of the amendments and remarks made herein.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

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